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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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Opposition No: 91160234

Opposer/Respondent,

vs.

Trademark: AIRFRAME BUSINESS
SOFTWARE, INC.

AIRFRAME BUSINESS SOFTWARE, INC.
800 Southwood Blvd, Suite 105
Incline Village, NV 89451

Applicant/Petitioner.



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**ANSWER TO COUNTERCLAIM
AND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

NOW COMES the Opposer/Respondent in answer to Applicant's counterclaim, and states as follows:

The Opposer/Respondent denies each and every allegation in Applicant's counterclaim in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, and the Opposer demands strict proof thereof.

**AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE ONE:
NO LEGAL INTEREST**

Opposer/Respondent denies and continues to deny that it is liable for the claims made by the Petitioner. Without waiving the denial, Petitioner does not a legal interest in the applications for the marks AIRFRAME BUSINESS SOFTWARE, INC. and AIRFRAME.

**AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE TWO:
ABANDONMENT**

Opposer/Respondent denies and continues to deny that it is liable for the claims made by the Petitioner. Petitioner abandoned the said marks by not using them in connection with an established, presently existing and on-going business. Petitioner is not the owner of the said application.

**AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE THREE:
NO VALID FIRST USE**

Opposer/Respondent denies and continues to deny that it is liable for the claims by Petitioner. Petitioner cannot establish likelihood of confusion between the Opposer/Respondent's mark, AIRFRAME, because Petitioner cannot establish a valid first use date.

**AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE FOUR:
NO VALID FIRST USE DATE IN COMMERCE**

Opposer/Respondent denies and continues to deny that it is liable for the claims by Petitioner. The Petitioner has no standing and no valid, enforceable trademark rights in the said application because the Petitioner cannot establish a valid first use date in commerce.

WHEREFORE, the Opposer/Respondent prays that the Board enter judgment in favor of the Opposer/Respondent and against the Applicant/Petitioner, denying Applicant registration of the mark sought to be registered, and dismissing Applicant/Petitioner's counterclaim with prejudice.

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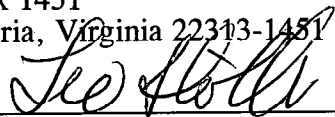
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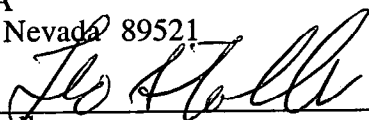
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